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In re Patent Application of) **MAIL STOP AF**
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Application No.: 09/918,530) **Group Art Unit: 2621**
Filed: August 1, 2001) **Examiner: ISHRAT I. SHERALI**
For: **COLOR MATCHING METHOD AND**) **Confirmation No.: 3487**
DEVICE, COLOR MATCHING)
PROGRAM, AND COMPUTER)
READABLE RECORD MEDIUM)
THAT STORES COLOR MATCHING)
PROGRAM ALLOWING)
APPROPRIATE COLOR)
MATCHING AT HIGH SPEED)

RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated June 9, 2005, the following remarks
are submitted: